Mr. C. J. Mathew.—(c). May I know whether any student has been rejected under any special circumstances?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—Require notice.

Mr. C. J. Mathew.—(d). May I know whether it is a rule in paper or it is only an understanding?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—Is it a question that can be allowed, Sir?

President.—If you have information, that may be given.

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—It is not a written rule.

Civil Marriage Regulation.

94. Mr. K. J. Antony.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to an article in the "Sathianadam" dated 17th November 1928 under the caption സിവിൽ വിവാഹവും കാത്തലിക്കുമതവും;

(b) if the answer to (a) is in the affirmative, have the Government done anything towards exempting Roman Catholics from the operation of the Civil Marriage Regulation;

(c) do the Government think of doing anything towards amending the aforesaid Regulation in the near future?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) Yes.

(b) No.

(c) No.

Mr. K. J. Antony.—May I know whether any Bill was brought by any Member of the House to amend the Regulation?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—No, so far as the Government is aware.

Mr. K. J. Antony.—May I know whether any Bill was brought by the Member for Chalakkudi to amend the Regulation?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—No.

Orders on the Special Finance Committee's Report.

95. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state when will final orders on the report of the Special Finance Committee be passed and at what stage is the consideration of the same now?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Government have nothing more to add to what they stated in answer to questions 563, 564 and 565 of the 1104 Meenam sitting of the Legislative Council.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—The answer is supplied by the Secretary to the Diwan. Some four days back it was reported by the Finance Member thus:—'The scrutiny of

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the report in the light of the recommendations made by the Council during the Special Session has almost been completed and it is hoped to effect the reorganisation during the early part of next year'. I want to know whether it is correct. This report was made some four days back. Here it is said that they cannot add anything more to what has already been said.

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The decision regarding that has been finally stated by the President himself in his remarks that orders on this Committee report will be forthcoming by the first week of Chingam.

President.—What I said was the concluding stages in the consideration of this report have almost been reached and that I have reason to think that orders will be passed at the commencement of the ensuing year.

96. **Mr. C. J. Mathew.**—Will the Government kindly state when they intend to set on foot the various schemes suggested by the members of the Finance Committee and modified by the Legislative Council?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Vide answer to question No. 95.

97. **Mr. Thomas Manjuran.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

does the Government propose to give effect to the recommendations of the Special Finance Committee in the near future; what is the reason for this long delay?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Vide answer to question No. 95.

Recruits from the Bar.

98. **Mr. C. J. Mathew.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the number of men taken from the Bar and appointed in the Government service during the last 15 years up to date;

(2) their names and the names of the appointments they were given and special reasons, if any, in each case, for the appointments thus made?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(1) Thirty-four, so far as could be ascertained.

(2) A list is appended (*Vide Appendix I*). The appointments were made in the interests of the service.

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99. മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. എ. രാമചന്ദ്രയ്യർ.—താഴെ പറയുന്ന ചോദ്യത്തിനു ശ്രദ്ധേണ്ട മറുപടി പറയാമോ:—

യുക്തിവപോരിൽനിന്നും കരുപ്പടന്നക്കുള്ള റോഡിൽ ഉരുക

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